SECTION 09260

GYPSUM BOARD SYSTEMS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- Metal stud wall framing
- B. Metal channel ceiling framing
- C. Gypsum board and joint treatment
- D. Acoustic insulation

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit the following in accordance with the requirements of Section 01300.
 - 1. Catalog data on metal framing, gypsum board, joint tape, joint compound and texturing materials.
 - 2. Manufacturer's installation instructions.
 - 3. Twelve inch square sample of gypsum board with texture finish.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Perform work in accordance with ASTM C840, GA-201, GA-214, GA-216 and GA-600.

1.4 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to UBC for fire rated assemblies as follows:
 - 1. Fire rated partitions: listed assembly UL U465 for 1 hour rating, UL U411 for two hour rating
 - 2. Fire rated ceiling [and soffits]: listed assembly UL [edit as required]
 - 3. Fire rated shaft walls: listed assembly UL [edit as required]

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Georgia Pacific Corp.
- B. National Gypsum Company
- C. United States Gypsum Company

2.2 FRAMING MATERIALS

- A. Provide studs and tracks conforming to ASTM C645 and GA-600; 25 gage galvanized sheet steel, C shape, with knurled faces.
- B. Provide furring, framing and accessories conforming to ASTM C645 and GA-600.

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- C. Provide fasteners conforming to ASTM C514 and GA-216.
- D. Provide adhesive conforming to ASTM C557 and GA-216.

2.3 GYPSUM BOARD MATERIALS

- A. Provide gypsum board conforming to ASTM C36 and ASTM E119, fire resistive, Type X, 5/8 inch thick, maximum practical length, with square cut ends and tapered edges.
- B. Provide moisture resistant gypsum board conforming to ASTM C630, 5/8 inch thick, maximum practical length, with square cut ends and tapered edges.
- C. Provide gypsum coreboard conforming to ASTM C442, 1 inch thick, maximum practical length, with square cut ends and tapered edges.

2.4 ACCESSORIES

- A. Provide acoustic insulation conforming to ASTM C665, preformed glass fiber batts, 3 1/2 inches thick, unfaced, friction fit type.
- B. Provide self-drilling, self-tapping screws, bolts, nuts and washers with hot dip galvanized finish.
- C. Provide corner beads of metal and paper construction.
- D. Provide edge bead conforming to ASTM C1047, GA-201 and GA-216.
- E. Provide joint materials conforming to ASTM C475, GA-201 and GA-216; reinforcing tape, joint compound, adhesive and water.
- F. Provide latex based texture finish materials.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 METAL STUD INSTALLATION

- A. Install studs at 16 inches on center, in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and ASTM C754.
- Refer to Drawings for locations of studding extending to the ceiling, through the ceiling, and to structure above.

3.2 ACOUSTICAL ACCESSORIES INSTALLATION

- A. Refer to Drawings for location of partitions with acoustical treatment.
- B. Install acoustic sealant at joint between gypsum board and floor, and to seal penetrations of partitions by conduit, pipe, ductwork, etc..
- C. Place acoustic insulation between studs, around cut openings, behind and around electrical and mechanical items within or behind partitions, and tight to items passing through partitions.

3.3 SHAFT WALL INSTALLATION

A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to GA-600 requirements.

3.4 SUSPENDED CEILING GRILLAGE INSTALLATION

- A. Install grillage in accordance with ASTM C754.
- B. Suspend 1 1/2 inch furring channels from structural members with 8 gage wires at 48 inches on center, and within 6 inches of walls.
- C. Install furring channels at right angle to channels at 16 inches on center using formed clips.

3.5 GYPSUM BOARD INSTALLATION

- A. Install gypsum board in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. In non-fire rated partitions, erect single layers of gypsum board in most economical direction, with edges and ends occurring over firm bearing.
- C. In fire rated partitions erect single layer of gypsum board vertically, with edges and ends occurring over firm bearing.
- D. Install screws in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- E. In double layer installations, erect second layer perpendicular to first layer, secured to first layer with adhesive. Offset joints of second layer from joints of first layer.
- F. Treat cut edges and holes in moisture resistant gypsum board with sealant.
- G. Provide corner beads at exterior corners. Provide edge trim where gypsum board abuts dissimilar materials.

3.6 JOINT TREATMENT

- A. Tape, fill and sand exposed joints, edges and corners to produce smooth surface, ready for finish.
- B. Feather coats onto adjoining surfaces so that camber is maximum 1/32 inch.

3.7 TEXTURE FINISH

A. Apply finish texture coating to attain a light sand finish.

3.8 TOLERANCES

A. Maximum variation of finished gypsum board surface from true flatness is 1/8 inch in 10 feet in any direction.

END OF SECTION